

Minutes
**Labor-Management Advisory Council on
Workers' Compensation**

January 7, 2009

3:30-5:00 pm

Advisory council members present: Lt. Governor John Bohlinger, Jerry Keck, Bill Dahlgren, Don Judge, Jacquie Helt, Jason Miller, Riley Johnson, Bob Worthington
Dan Lee gave his proxy to Don Judge. Annette Hoffman gave her proxy to Bob Worthington.

Core team members present: Jerry Keck, Dustin de Yong, George Kochman, Anne Wolfinger

- I. Continued Discussion of Department Workers' Compensation Bills
 - o HB 119: Don Judge moved, Bob Worthington seconded that the LMAC endorse HB 119 as amended. Motion carried unanimously.
 - o HB 138; Don Judge moved, Jacquie Helt seconded that the LMAC endorse HB 138 as amended. Motion carried unanimously.
- II. Continued Discussion of Proposed LMAC Bill, LC 1442
In the discussion, council members questioned if the funding mechanism proposed for WorkSafeMT would be interpreted as a tax increase. The council decided to meet again at 4:30p on Tuesday, January 13, immediately following the Work Comp Educational Conference to continue the discussion with additional information.
- III. Public Comment
There was no public comment.

IV. Next Steps

Set up LMAC meeting for 4:30p on January 13	Anne	ASAP
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